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Recent School Legislation.

The last General Assembly of Kentucky will go down in history as the "Educational Legislature." It made a record for more school legislation than any General Assembly preceding it. Following are the most important acts passed by it, all of which have since been signed by the Governor:

"The Half-Million Appropriation" made up of \$200,000 for the State University and \$150,000 for each of the State Normal Schools for additional buildings and repairs. The same measure carried increased annual appropriations to these three institutions.

The bill changing the name of Kentucky State College to Kentucky State University, Lexington, Kentucky. This is an act which has long been desired by the alumni and other friends of this institution. In this connection, the fact should be emphasized that all sub-freshman work in the sense of preparatory work will be eliminated after two years. Those now matriculated in the Academy will be given opportunity to finish their Academy course. All sub-freshman work in the Normal Department will cease at the close of this school year. The law provides for regular collegiate work in the Department of Education but there will be no sub-freshman studies offered in the Normal Department after this summer.

A bill was also passed changing the name of Kentucky University, at Lexington, to Transylvania—the name under which this institution in years past won great renown.

A bill creating an Educational Commission of eleven members which shall make a study of the present school law and school system of Kentucky and of other States and draft recommendations to be laid before the next General Assembly. The law provides the membership of the Commission as follows: The Governor, ex-officio; the State Superintendent, ex-officio; the Presidents of the two State Normal Schools, ex-officio; the President of the State University, ex-officio; one Representative elected by the Lower House of the General Assembly; one Senator elected by the Upper House; one member of the Federated Women's Clubs, selected by the officials of the Federation; one representative of the colleges; one city superintendent; and one county superintendent, the three last named to be appointed by the Governor. Representative J. H. Jackson, of Owen county, was selected by the House; Senator J. J. Watkins, of Union county, by the Senate. Governor Willson has appointed Dr. F. W. Hitt, President of Central University, at Danville; Supt. E. H. Mark, of Louisville; and Supt. L. N. Taylor, of Pulaski county.

It is rightly believed that this Educational Commission has a greater opportunity before it for shaping the educational destinies of Kentucky than any other legally authorized body ever provided for in the South.

The bill creating a County Board of Education and doing away with the present cumbersome School Trustee System many men prominent in education and in politics both have said that there is a greater possibility of improvement for the common schools in this measure than in all the others put together.

At an early date, we shall give an analysis, somewhat in detail, of the provisions of the County Board Bill which becomes a law in ninety days from the date of its signature, which took place March 24th.

Tariff Promises.

The Republicans are hard at work trying to minimize the effects of the panic and the continued business depression. The panic was a complete reply to the fallacious statements in Republican platforms and by Republican organs and spellbinders that tariff protection produced prosperity. The fact that over a million men are out of a job; that wages are falling and thousands of foreign wage earners are returning to their own country, is too glaring to be glossed over. Democrats have foretold this breakdown of the policy of protection, which for a time fostered a spurious prosperity for the trusts and corporations, with its accompanying high costs of living and of necessity high wages.

But now the crash has come and so many people are suffering the Republi-

cans party is trying again to deceive the voters by pretending to favor tariff revision or adjustment, "after election." The promises are, however, very vague and always accompanied by the declaration that the protective system must be preserved. It is pretty safe to predict that if the Republican party is successful in electing the next President and a majority of the next Congress, that the Trusts and tariff protected interests will again control the policy of the majority of the Republican party on the tariff issue. Is it likely that campaign funds will be forthcoming from the Trusts and corporations to accomplish such a result unless assurances are given by Republican candidates for Congress that "the interests" will still be protected.

As Senator Hanna said in substance in the debate on the admittance of the territories to Statehood, platform promises are not intended to be binding if it is politically necessary not to keep them.

Taft Only a Shadow.

The Cincinnati Enquirer is one of the great papers that believes that Wm. Taft is only a shadow in the race for the Presidential nomination, and that in due season President Roosevelt, the substance, will be brought forth as the nominee. We believe that Bryan will beat any of that party this time.

Not Fighting High Prices.

A high official of the American Tobacco Company at Louisville is quoted as saying that the company was not fighting the high price of tobacco; that it could easily pay 25 cents for tobacco and make money; but it was fighting to retain control of the price-making. He argues that with high prices the over-production would put the price of the raw material down so low that new factories would spring up and the trust would lose the hold on the market it now controls. The producer, once organized, with knowledge gained by experience during the struggle, could easily manage to so curtail the output as to regulate the supply to meet the demand without creating a surplus, and thus insuring a uniform fair price for the benefit of both the producer and the manufacturer.

Indiana Republicans.

On the fifth ballot the Indiana Republican Convention at Indianapolis, nominated James E. Watson, of Rushville, for Governor. Nearly all the other nomination were made by acclamation. The delegates to the National Convention were instructed to vote and work for the nomination of Fairbanks for President.

A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

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